

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Lammers *et al.*

**Application No.** 10/509,669

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**For:** GENERATION OF PLANTS WITH  
IMPROVED PATHOGEN RESISTANCE

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated June 15, 2007, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was set, making a response due on or before July 15, 2007. Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time and submit the appropriate fee, now making a response due on or before **August 15, 2007**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** and a **Conclusion** are on page 3.